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C O N F I D E N T I A L KINSHASA 5079

E. O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: DISMISSAL OF DEPFONAFF DIRECTOR GENERAL ILEKA

1. DIRGEN ILEKA MBOYO, FORMER AMBASSADOR TO US, WAS DROPPED FROM HIS POST ON OR ABOUT JUNE 15 WITHOUT PUBLICITY OR EXPLANATION. REPLACEMENT IS TSHILUMBA KABISHI, CURRENTLY AMBASSADOR TO NIGERIA. COLLEAGUE OF ILEKA TELLS US STATE COMMISSIONER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS NGUZA FIRED HIM BECAUSE ILEKA GAVE OFFICIAL TESTIMONY IN RECENT TRIAL FOR EMBEZZLEMENT OF EX- AMBASSADOR TO BONN (KASHEMWA) WHICH TENDED TO HELP THE DEFENSE. (APPEALS COURT GAVE KASHEMWA A 6 MONTH SENTENCE ON JUNE 14, AND PROSECUTION HAS FILED APPLICATION FOR REVERSAL AND TOUGHER SENTENCE).

2. COMMENT: ILEKA WAS POPULAR FIGURE WITH KINSHASA DIPLOMATIC COPRS BECAUSE OF HIS APPROACHIBILITY, MODESTY AND HELPFULNESS. WHETHER HE STILL HAS A FUTURE IN ZAIRIAN DIPLOMATIC SERVICE REMAINS TO BE SEEN.
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